



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 1913
Yoshitsugu HAMA et al. : Docket No. 2001-1299A
Serial No. 09/955,969 : Group Art Unit 1723
Filed September 20, 2001 : Examiner Krishnan Menon

SEMIPERMEABLE MEMBRANE SUPPORT
AND PROCESS OF PREPARATION THEREOF: Mail Stop: Amendment

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of May 17, 2004.

The fee of \$110.00 is

- ☒ submitted herewith.
☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
☐ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
☐ is enclosed.
☐ has been previously submitted.

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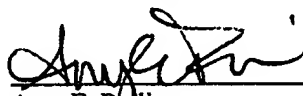
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